

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 20 September 65 20/0945Z	2. LOCATION Winston Salem, North Carolina
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION <del>INSUFFICIENT DATA</del> in view of Inconsistencies in report. ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	<del>INSUFFICIENT DATA</del> Conflicting Rept.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 MIN <del>10-15 seconds</del>	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS One object, brighter than a star, looked like inner circle of orange and outercircle of a blue corona like electrical discharge. Straight flight. No details. Passed overhead. Rising at an angle. No sound. Small. Appeared to come from over the horizon. No change in speed or direction. Speed estimated at 350-400 mph and altitude at 2,000 <del>2</del> to 3,000 ft. Observed from inside a building through screen. Size 50-60 ft in diameter. Observed at same time as ECHO II. Conflicting data between report and log. Inconsistencies between speed, elevation and duration. Object travelled through 45 deg elevation in 10-15 seconds, yet witness was able to give detail of two concentric circles and view this detail.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE NE	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	



8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight - pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor
- d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

*The outside circle appeared as a Blue Corona Electrical Discharge. Inner circle orange.*

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
  - b. Like a bright star
  - c. Sharply outlined
  - d. Don't remember

e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- |   |     |    |            |
|---|-----|----|------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time?           | Yes | No | Don't know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | Yes | No | Don't know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode?              | Yes | No | Don't know |
| d. Give off smoke?                              | Yes | No | Don't know |
| e. Change brightness?                           | Yes | No | Don't know |
| f. Change shape?                                | Yes | No | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker?                            | Yes | No | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear?                      | Yes | No | Don't know |



14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

*It disappeared after it passed over the house.*

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes ☐ No ☒ Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes ☐ No ☒ Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound *NO SOUND*

b. Color *Light Blue, inner circle orange*

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

*Approximately 1/3 to 1/2 of the object.*

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails.

Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

*Heading S.W. to N.E. at 45° from the horizon*





20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 350 - 400 MPH

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? 2000 - 3000 FT HIGH

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane (type)
- e. At sea
- f. Other \_\_\_\_\_

23. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other \_\_\_\_\_

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

- |              |              |              |              |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North     | c. East      | e. South     | g. West      |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

24.2 How fast were you moving? \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

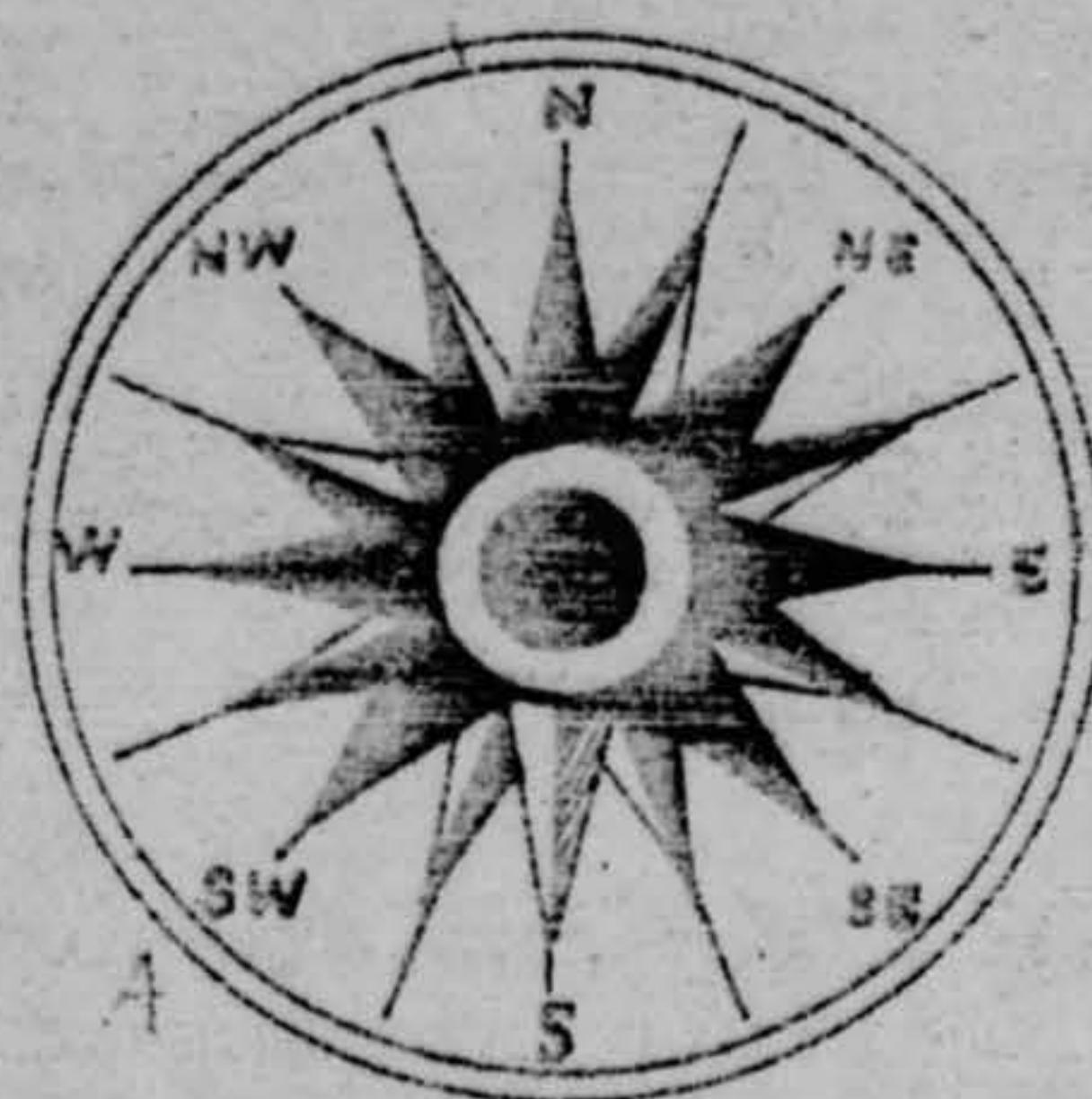
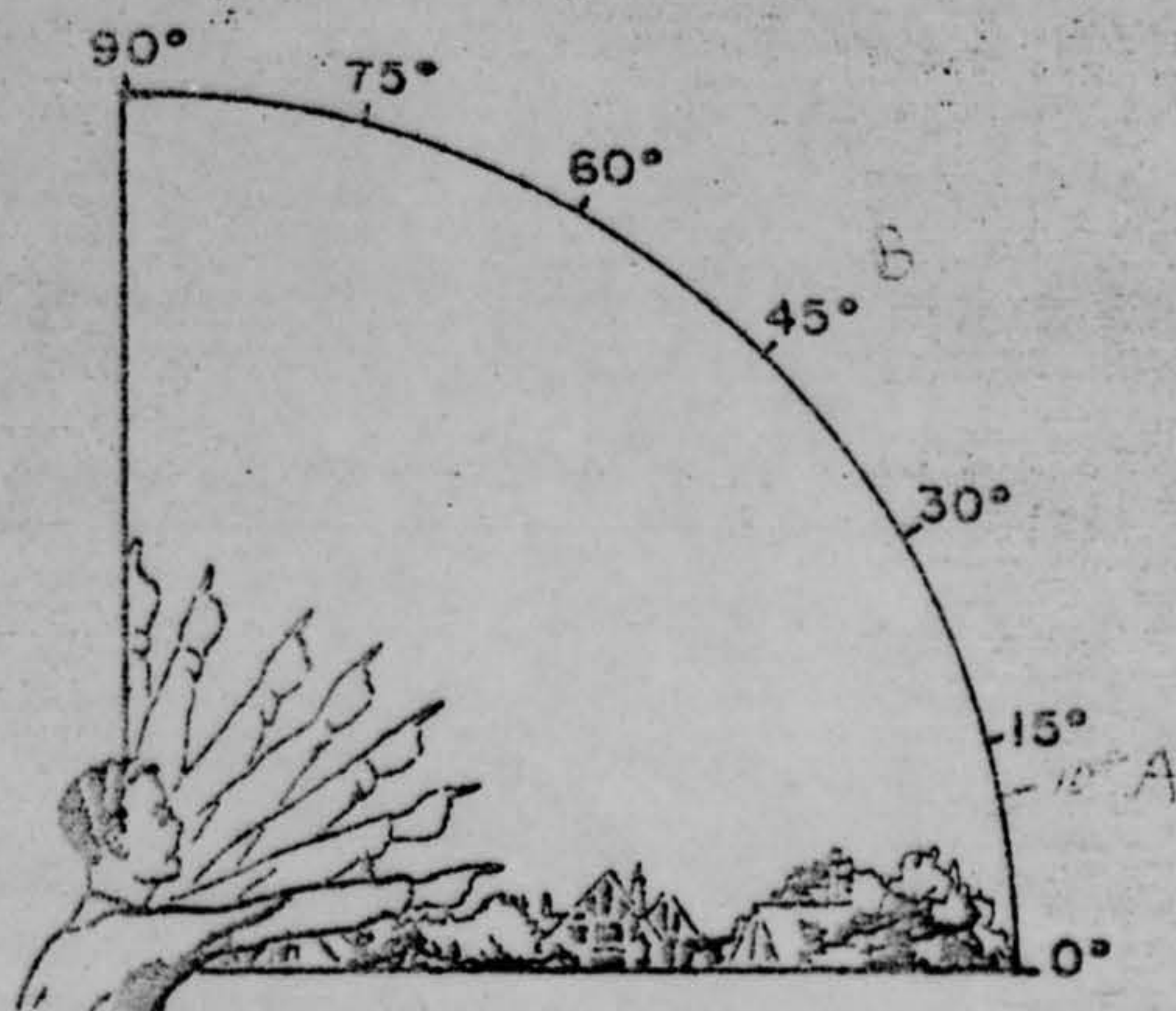
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|-----------------|-----|----|----------------------|-----|----|
| a. Eyeglasses   | Yes | No | e. Binoculars        | Yes | No |
| b. Sun glasses  | Yes | No | f. Telescope         | Yes | No |
| c. Windshield   | Yes | No | g. Theodolite        | Yes | No |
| d. Window glass | Yes | No | h. Other <u>None</u> |     |    |

26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

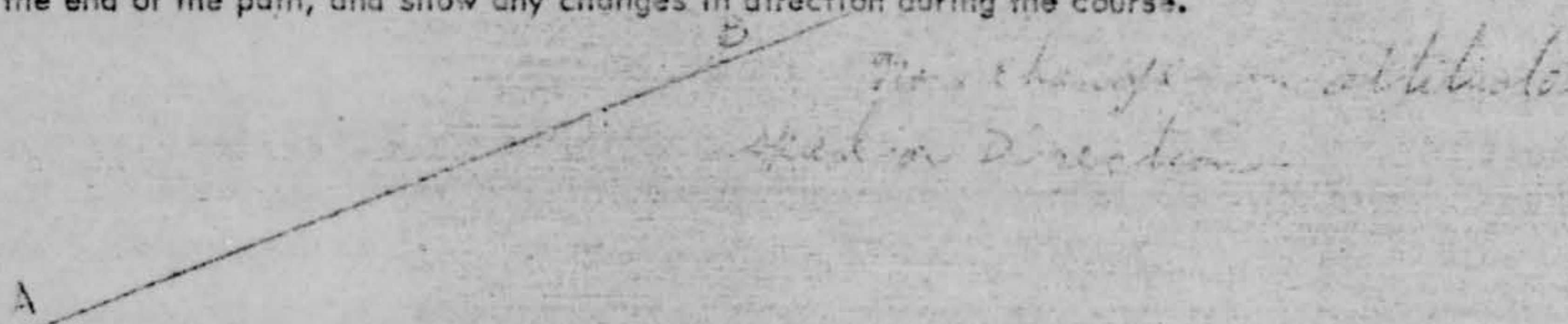
I have never seen anything like this with  
other than the bottom of a bomb or plate



27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you *last* saw the object.



28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? \_\_\_\_\_  
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location. YES

one flight and one in the 2nd time. I did not remember the date but both were reported in the Winston-Salem Journal & Sentinel by some other people.

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One) Yes ☐ No ☒

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One) Yes ☐ No ☐

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]  
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS [REDACTED] AVE WINSTON-SALEM 27106 N.C.  
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AGE 43 SEX M

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

PILOT WORLD WAR II SER NO. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Presently employed with Western Electric as a  
machine inspector 14 years.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

15 9 1965  
Day Month Year

WINSTON-SALEM CONTROL  
TOWER T-6AF, WFAHLP  
KADAN STATION.



34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

8

10

1965

Day

Month

Year

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

This area a much  
steeper and level in  
blue

This area a much steeper  
and level in a range

This area  
a softer  
blue

This area  
a darker range

This I see was about 50-60 ft. from the



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ACTION: NIN-7  
INFO: XOP-1, XOPX-8, SAFOS-3, DIA-1 (21)

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FM 810TH RADRON WINSTON SALEM AFS NC

TO RUEAAM/WAADS FT LEE AFS VA

RUEAKN/26AIRDIV STEWART AFB NY

RUMGALE/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RUCDXQXFTD WPAFB OHIO

RUEAHQ/CSAF WASHINGTON DC

RUEAHQ/OSAF WASHINGTON DC

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FOR WAADS, 26AIRDIV, ADC, FSC, AFNIN, SAF01: SUBJ: UFO. (A) DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT. (1) SHAPE: DISC (2) SIZE: HALF DOLLAR (3) COLOR: BLUE WITH ORANGE CENTER (4) NUMBER: ONE (5) FORMATION: N/A (6) DISCERNIBLE FEATURES: NONE (7) TAIL, TRAIL, OR EXHAUST: NONE (8) SOUND: NONE (9) OTHER: NONE (B) DESCRIPTION OF COURSE: (1) OBJECT APPARENTLY APPEARED SUDDENLY (2) 45 DEGREE ANGLE OF ELEVATION WHEN FIRST OBSERVED (3) DISAPPEARED OVER HORIZON (4)

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STRAIGHT COURSE (5) DISAPPEARED OVER HORIZON Y OBJECT VISIBLE APPROX. 10  
MINUTES. (C) MANNER OF OBSERVATION (1) GROUND VISUAL (2) OPTICAL AIDS  
NONE (D) TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: (1) 20/0945Z (2) NIGHT

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(E) LOCATION OF OBSERVER: 36 DEGREES 8 MINUTES NORTH, 80 DEGREES 10  
MINUTES WEST, NORTH WEST WINSTON SALEM NC (F) IDENTIFYING INFO ON  
OBSERVER: CIVILIAN, [REDACTED] AGE 43, [REDACTED] E, WINSTON  
SALEM NC. EMPLOYED BY WESTERN ELECTRIC CORP. (FORMER AIR FORCE

PILOT) CONSIDERED RELIABLE (G) WEATHER AND WINDS: (1) OBSERVER ACCOUNT  
OF WEATHER: CALM AND CLEAR (2) REPORT FROM GREENSBORO WEATHER BUREAU

(A) CLEAR AND CALM BELOW 5000 FEET (B) MAX WINDS ABOVE 5000 FEET  
35 KNTS AND CLEAR. (H) OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITIONS: NONE

(I) NO INTERCEPTION ACTION TAKEN (J) ONE AIR PORT LOCATED TWO MILES  
EAST OF OBSERVER. WEATHER BALLOON LAUNCHED AT 1115Z FROM AIRPORT

6 MILES AWAY (FRIENDSHIP NC) (K) TITLE AND COMMENTS OF REPORTING

OFFICER: (A) RALPH T. BISHOP, 2ND LT WEAPONS CONTROLLER (B) COMMENTS:

NO OBVIOUS EXPLANATION. ECHO II WAS IN THE AREA AT THE TIME BUT WAS

SEEN BY OBSERVER ALONG WITH THE OBJECT. WEATHER BALLOON WAS LAUNCHED

TOO LATE TO BE SEEN AT THIS TIME. WEATHER CONDITIONS ARE ALMOST

IDEAL. OBSERVER IS AN EXPERIENCED PERSON (WORLD WAR II PILOT) (1)

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0 PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ACQUIRED.

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20 Sept.

FTD (TDEW)  
Wright- Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433  
1 Oct 65

Mr [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Winston- Salem, North Carolina

Dear Mr [REDACTED]

Reference your unidentified observation of 20 Sep 65. The information which we received was not sufficient for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

Sincerely,



HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr. Major, USAF  
Chief, Project Blue Book

ORIGINATOR: TDEW/UFO DATED  
Maj H Quintanilla, Jr

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TDEW/40



20 Sept

[REDACTED]  
Winston-Salem NC 27106  
Sept. 20 1965

Dear Sir:

This morning at 11:45 a.m. E.S.T. at my home  
I saw an unidentified flying disc. Blue  
and orange in color. Traveling South West  
to North East at between 2000 ft & 3000 ft  
at between 350-400 mph. There was no sound,  
exhaust, contrail or variation of the color as  
it did not vary in speed. No foot holes  
or projections could be seen. I continued to  
watch for several minutes after this and all  
I saw was a jet & a satellite also traveling  
South West to North East. The disc was  
approximately 50-60 ft in diameter.

I was an air force pilot in World War II  
1905-1954 Serial # 7-68375.

Respectfully,  
[REDACTED]

See attached drawing.



THEY ARE A LIGHTER

BLUE COLOR

THEY ARE A LIGHT

ORANGE

IN COLOR

BLUE COLOR


THIS AREA

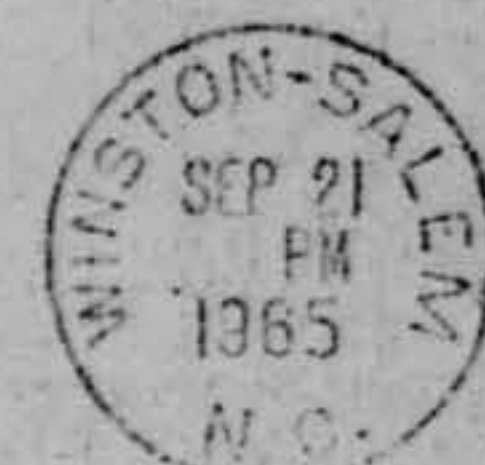
WAS ORANGE

COLOR



AFTER FIVE DAYS RETURN TO

  
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.



Wright-Patterson Field U.S.A.F.  
Foreign Technology Division  
Airforce Systems Command  
Dayton, Ohio

EW (up)



# U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

20 9 1965  
Day Month Year

2. Time of day:

4 15  
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern  
b. Central  
c. Mountain  
d. Pacific  
e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving  
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[REDACTED]  
Nearest Postal Address

WINSTON-SALEM  
City or Town

N.C.  
State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

10-15  
Hours Minutes Seconds

a. Certain

b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? \_\_\_\_\_

5.2 Was object in sight continuously?

Yes ✓ No \_\_\_\_\_

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY

a. Bright  
b. Cloudy

NIGHT

a. Bright  
b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you  
b. In back of you  
c. To your right

d. To your left  
e. Overhead  
f. Don't remember